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SUBJECT: AUSTRALIAN REPOSE TO SEARCH FOR CONSENSUS ON
MIDDLE EAST ISSUES AT IAEA GENERAL CONFERENCE

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Classified By: Political Counselor James F. Cole, Reasons 1.4 (b) and (d)

11. (C) On August 24, Jane Hardy, Director of Arms Control Section, Arms Control and Counter-Proliferation Branch, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) told poloff the GOA agreed that a single consensus resolution was a good tack to take concerning the contentious issues of the Middle East. She also noted that it was DFAT's understanding that the General Conference President designate, Ms Macmillan of New Zealand, has begun drafting just such a resolution.

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